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## PERFORMANCE SPECIFICATION SHEET

# ELECTRON TUBE, MAGNETRON TYPE 2J55

The requirements for acquiring the electron tube described herein shall consist of this document and the latest issue of MIL-PRF-1.

This specification is approved for use by all Departments and Agencies of the Department of Defense.

DESCRIPTION: Fixed frequency, 9,375 ± 30 MHz, pulse type, integral magnet, rated peak power output 40 kW.

## **ABSOLUTE RATINGS**:

Parameter:	EF	tk	еру	ib	Pi	pi	tpc	Du	T (anode)	Alt
Unit:	V	sec	kv	а	W	kw	μs		°C	ft
Maximum:	6.93		16	16	180	230	2.5	0.001	100	10,000
Minimum:		120								

PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS: See figure 1.

Input connection: See figure 1.

Output coupling: Mates with UG52B/U flange (MIL-F-3922/59).

Magnet isolation: See note 2.

WEIGHT: 4 pounds (approximate).

MOUNTING POSITION: Any.

TEST CONDITIONS: See note 2.

Parameter:	Ef	tk	tpc	trv	Du	lb	VSWR	T (anode)
Unit:	V	sec	μs	μs		mA dc		°C
Tolerance:			± 10 %					
Test 1:	0	120 (min)	1.0	0.2 (max)	0.001	12	1.15 (max)	80 (approx)
Test 2:	2.5	120 (min)	2.0	0.2 (max)	0.00065	8	1.15 (max)	80 (approx)
	note 3							

# **GENERAL**:

Qualification - Required.

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TABLE I. Testing and inspection.

Inspection	Method	Notes	Test	Conditions	Symbols	Limits Min	Limits Max	Units
Qualification Inspection								
High-frequency vibration	1031			No voltages				
Temperature coefficient	4027		1		ΔΕ/ΔΤ		0.25	MHz/ °C
Low-temperature operation	1026		1	tk = 120 (max); T <sub>A</sub> = -65°C				
Barometric pressure, reduced	1002		1	Pressure = 380 mmHg (abs)				
Snap-on stability	4315	5	2	VSWR = 1.1 (max)	MP		1	%
Forced cooling	1143	4, fig 1 (16)	1	$T_A = 25^{\circ} \pm 5^{\circ}C$	Т		50	°C
Conformance inspection, part 1		<b>3</b> ( )	1					
Heater current	1301			Ef = 6.3 V	If	0.90	1.10	А
Pulse voltage	4306		1		еру	11	13	kv
Pressurizing	4003			40 to 45 psia				
Power output	4250		1	t = 300 (max)	Po	40		W
RF bandwidth	4308		1	lb = 11 to 13 mA dc	BW		3/tpc	MHz
Pulling factor	4310		1	VSWR = 1.5	ΔF		15	MHz
Stability	4315	5	2	VSWR = 1.1 (max)	MP		1	%
Fixed frequency			1		F	9,345	9,405	MHz
Conformance inspection, part 2								
Low-frequency vibration	1031			No voltages				
Conformance inspection, part 3								
Life-test provisions			1	Group D	t	500		hrs
Life-test end points								
Power output	4250		1		Po	30		W
RF bandwidth	4308		1		BW		3/tpc	MHz

See notes at end of Table I.

### NOTES:

- 1. Unless otherwise specified, the acceptance level for all tests listed under conformance inspection, part 1, shall be 1.0 percent, inspection level II.
- 2. In handling and mounting the tube, care shall be taken to prevent demagnetization. Magnetic materials or devices shall not be brought within 2 inches of the tube.
- 3. The product of the pulse duration in seconds and the pulse recurrence frequency in hertz shall not exceed 0.0007 for pi = 150 kW, or greater, and shall not exceed 0.001 in any circumstance. The pulse recurrence frequency shall be 325 pps, or greater. During high-voltage pulsed operation, the heater voltage should be varied with input power approximately in accordance with the formula:

Ef = 6.3 
$$\sqrt{1 - \frac{Pi}{150}}$$

- - with Ef = 0 for all values of Pi greater than 150. The heater should be protected against input pulse power by an appropriate filter.
- 4. With an airflow, at standard atmospheric pressure, of 65 cfm directed at the cooling fins from an orifice of 1-11/64 inches (29.77 mm) by 1-23/64 inches (34.53 mm), the rise above the ambient temperature specified shall not be exceeded. The orifice shall be located 0.25 inch (6.35 mm) from the cooling fins.
- 5. The missing pulses shall be counted during any 3 minutes of a test interval of 6 minutes, or less. A missing pulse is defined as one whose energy within  $a \pm 1$  percent frequency range of the normal test frequency is 70 percent of a normal pulse, or less.

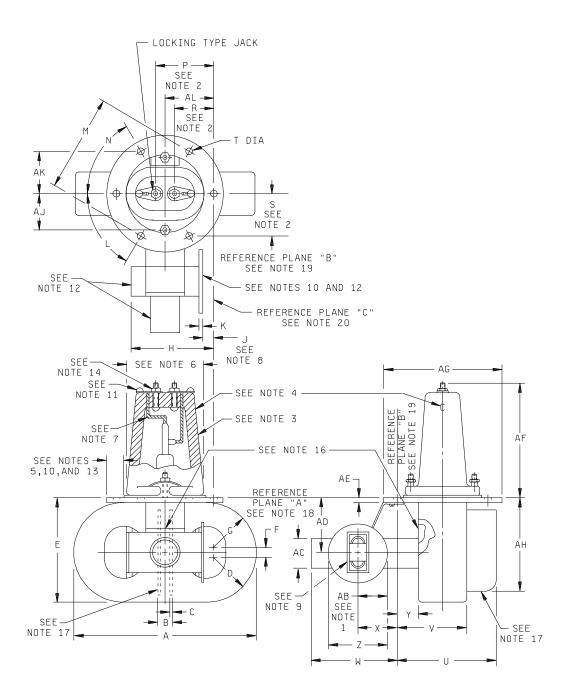


FIGURE 1. Outline drawing of electron tube type 2J55.

See notes at end of Figure I.

#### NOTES:

- 1. Output flange to be concentric with the open end of the guide to within 0.010 inch (0.25 mm).
- The jack holes shall be within a radius of 0.023 inch (0.58 mm) of true location specified but shall be spaced 0.500 inch (12.70 mm) ± 0.010 inch (0.25 mm) with respect to each other. The center lines of the holes shall be perpendicular to reference plane 'A' within 3°.
- 3. Pyrex glass, porcelain, or approved equivalent.
- 4. Indicate common cathode connection by letter C.
- With the flange resting on a plane surface, the flatness of the mounting plate 0.500 inch (12.70 mm) from the outer edge shall be such that a 0.010 inch (0.25 mm) thickness gage 0.125 inch (3.18 mm) wide shall not enter for a distance of more than 0.250 inch (6.35 mm).
- Metal surfaces shall be covered by painted finish except inside of waveguide, jack terminals and surfaces, covered by note 10.
- 7. Filament leads shall be flexible and slack.
- 8. Tolerance includes angular as well as lateral deviations of the surface.
- Output to mate with UG52B/U flange (MIL-F-3922/59).
- 10. Shall be free from paint.
- 11. Leads soldered to terminal clip.
- 12. All joints in waveguide assembly shall be vacuum tight to provide hermetic seal at flange.
- 13. All joints in mounting plate shall be vacuum tight to provide hermetic seal.
- 14. Heater connection.
- 15. Any portion of the assembly extending above this surface shall be within a 1.109 inch (28.17 mm) radius of the true center of the plate.
- 16. Anode temperature measurement point.
- 17. Radiator fins.
- 18. Reference plane A is defined as a plane passing along the surface of mounting plate as shown.
- Reference plane B is defined as a plane passing through the center of the two mounting plate holes at plane A and is perpendicular to plane A.
- Reference plane C is defined as a plane passing through the center of the mounting plate hole (as shown) at plane A and is mutually perpendicular to planes A and B.

Dimensions in inches with metric equivalents (mm) in parentheses.									
l tr	Ltr Minimum Maximum								
	Conformance inspec								
	(see note 1 Page 3)								
J	0.417 (10.59)	0.457 (11.61)							
Z	1.743 (44.27)	1.757 (44.63)							
	Conformance inspection, part 2								
Α	,	5.375 (136.53)							
В		0.500 (12.70)							
Е		3.125 (79.38)							
Н		2.500 (63.50)							
K	0.080 (2.03)	0.090 (2.29)							
L	59° 48'	60° 12'							
М	2.869 (72.87)	2.881 (73.18)							
N	59° 48'	60° 12'							
Т	0.190 (4.83)	0.196 (4.98)							
U		2.745 (69.72)							
W		2.661 (67.59)							
Х	1.172 (29.77)	1.212 (30.78)							
Υ	0.432 (10.97)								
AB	0.859 (21.82)	0.891 (22.63)							
AF	2.922 (74.22)	3.047 (77.39)							
AG	3.219 (81.76)	3.281 (83.34)							
AH		2.969 (75.41)							
AJ	0.875 (22.23)	0.937 (23.80)							
AK	0.875 (22.23)	0.937 (23.80)							
AL	1.406 (35.71)	1.468 (37.29)							
	Conformance inspection, part 3								
	(periodic check)								
AD	1.542 (39.17)	1.582 (40.18)							
AE	0.120 (3.05)	0.130 (3.30)							
	Reference dimensions								
С	0.062 (1.57)								
D	1.344 (34.14)								
F	0.374 (9.50)								
G		(34.14)							
Р	1.687 (42.85)								
R	1.187 (30.15)								
S	1.245 (31.62)								
V	2.057 (52.25)								
AC	0.750	(19.05)							

FIGURE 1. Outline drawing of electron tube type 2J55 - Continued.

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